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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of inventor JUERGEN STARK and CRAIG GOREN entitled INDIVIDUAL XML MESSAGE PROCESSING PLATFORM, for a:

( ) Original Patent Application.

(x) Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):

- ( ) Continuation ( ) Divisional ( ) Continuation-in-part (CIP) (x) Regular Filing of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/194,254 filed on April 3, 2000.  
( ) A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

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- (x) Specification; 33 Total Pages (including title page) (x) Drawing(s); 37 Total Sheet(s).  
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**STATEMENT OF PRIORITY CLAIMED**

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Dear Sir:

Applicants claim priority to prior pending Provisional Application Serial No. 60/194,254,  
filed on April 3, 2000, entitled Consumer XML Message Processing Platform.

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